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Docket No. 5677-208

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No : to be assigned
Applicant : Kirk S. Kealey et al.
Filed : herewith
Title : Cocoa Solids Having A High Cocoa Procyanidin Content
Group Art Unit : to be assigned (formerly 1654)
Examiner : to be assigned (formerly C. Tate)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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SIR:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.